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In re Application of:

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For: APPARATUS FOR BLENDING AND  
FABRICATING PERSONALIZED  
LIPSTICK

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AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS MADE IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
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Amendments to existing claims:

5. (First Amended) The kit of claim 4 wherein the heating means for which the heating vessel is suitable is selected from the group consisting of a heating block, a steam bath, a water bath, a microwave oven, ~~conventional~~ an oven, a flame, and a hot air blower.

10. (Second Amended) The kit of Claim 8 wherein the ~~mold top and bottom clam shell~~ top and bottom portions include apertures adapted to align and receive dowels therein to ensure proper alignment of the ~~mold top and bottom portions~~.

25. (Second Amended) A kit for custom blending lip coloring product to a desired shade, texture, and content, the kit comprising:

a plurality of pigments adapted to be blended together to create a particular shade of lip coloring product;

at least one base adapted to be blended with selected pigments to provide a particular texture and consistency for lip coloring product;

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